

TUESDAY WINTER'S COLDEST

Here and There

Editorial By ALEX. H. WASHBURN

DR. HOWARD DAWSON, who might be said to represent the organized professional schoolmen rather than the rank and file of Arkansas teachers and the Arkansas tax-paying public, testified before the house education committee in Washington today that Arkansas' common schools are virtually wholly dependent upon the federal government.

Consolidation of 75 Counties to 34 Urged by Newton

Pulaski Ex-Judge Would Follow Senatorial District Lines

TO REDUCE SOLONS

Consolidation Would Cut Down Number of Legislators

LITTLE ROCK.—Consolidation of Arkansas' 75 county governments by converting the state's 34 senatorial districts into 34 counties was advocated by C. P. Newton, member of the Arkansas Corporation Commission and former Pulaski county judge, Monday night.

Such a consolidation could be incorporated into one constitutional amendment, Mr. Newton said. This would "perhaps meet approval of a majority of our voters," provided the counties thus made up could be properly balanced in area and population, he said.

The most difficult problem of consolidation, Mr. Newton said, would be the selection and location of county seats. He believes this should be left to the legislature.

"For instance," he said, "Lynch and Prairie counties constitute the Twelfth Senatorial District, the latter county having two county seats. It is easy to foresee that the vote of the composite territory would name Lonoke as the county seat of the consolidated county, mainly because the Lonoke county territory is more populous.

Instead of confining the ultimate voting to a selection between Des Arc, DeValls, Bluff and Lonoke, there should be set up the privilege of voting for at least one alternate site for the new county government. It might be logical to vote for Carlisle or Hazen for the county seat, as either of these towns is nearer to the geographic center of the territory embraced within the present two counties."

How Counties Are Divided

The state contains nine senatorial districts of three counties each. Mr. Newton pointed out, one of four counties, 20 of two counties and only four of one county each. His purpose in suggesting the substitution of senatorial districts for counties, he said, was merely to set up the principle as a working basis. He conceded that



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the ROMANTIC RUNAWAY Starts Thursday March 1.

Doctor Dawson said, as you may read in another column on today's front page, that the average Arkansas teacher gets only \$140 a year—less than elevator girls in Little Rock and Hot Springs—and that unless the federal government contributes heavily again next fall there are about 400 Arkansas schools which won't reopen. This newspaper's attitude toward Doctor Dawson is pretty well known. We suspect him of being one of those federally-minded pedagogues who won't be satisfied until they have set up a federal Secretary of Education in the president's cabinet, establish arbitrary textbooks for the whole United States, and do all the hiring and firing of school teachers from Washington.

And the surest way to help Doctor Dawson bring about this deplorable conclusion is to tie down on our obligation as local citizens and let the federal government foot the bill for educating our children.

For, wherever the bills are paid, there eventually rests administrative power.

It is up to the citizens and taxpayers of Arkansas and every other commonwealth to determine whether they are going to continue public education as a local institution, or turn it over to the federal government and add another block to the pyramid of bureaucracy and politics and propaganda at Washington.

As this newspaper has pointed out before now, Arkansas must raise additional school money.

I believe we are the first newspaper to come out flat-footedly for a state sales tax in Arkansas.

We believe that whatever the cost of giving every Arkansas child a common school education, the taxpayers should sign the check.

Doctor Dawson, carrying forward his campaign for federalization of the public schools, brings down nothing but dishonor on Arkansas shamelessly pleading abject poverty for his state in the halls of the national capital.

Some astute critic polished him off with this crack:

"Haven't you any pride?" But a propagandist has no pride that he won't trample under foot to reach his goal.

It's about time we pulled down this fiction of Arkansas poverty and put up our taxes to pay our necessary bills.

If no other way, then through a sales tax.

Mississippi has met the issue in this manner. We can do likewise.

Everything Doctor Dawson says about the humiliating pay of Arkansas school teachers is true.

But it is cowardly to dodge the inescapable conclusion that where children are reared and educated there belongs the major part of the responsibility of educating them.

Let us take stock on ourselves. Arkansas, hard hit by the drought of 1932, got federal preference over the other states, and this fact of four years ago continues down to the present day as one of the well known facts which once started around a federal bureau, continues on forever.

That's why today we are one of three states in which the federal government is footing the whole cost of emergency unemployment relief and the state is paying nothing.

That's why today Doctor Dawson

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Camden Delegation to Visit Nevada Wednesday to Urge No. 4 Completion

Only 11½ Miles in Hope-Camden Link Remain Unfinished

Camden Tourists to Take Supper at Willisville Wednesday

TRANS-STATE ROAD

No. 4 Offers New Short Route From Texas to Greenville, Miss.

Completion of highway No. 4, on which there is a gap of only 11½ miles in the 48-mile link between Hope and Camden, will be urged by a good will caravan of 50 to 80 persons from Camden who will visit Waterloo and Willisville, Nevada county points, Wednesday afternoon.

The caravan will leave Camden at 3 p. m., Camden Chamber of Commerce told Hope Star over the telephone Tuesday, and will take supper at 6 o'clock with people of the Willisville community.

Completion of highway No. 4 is one of the community projects both Hope and Camden have worked on for several years.

To Rosston in 1930 A modern gravel highway was completed from Hope to Rosston, a distance of 20 miles, into the center of southern Nevada county, in 1930.

The following year the State Highway Department graded and graveled the 16½ miles from Camden west to the Nevada-Nevada county line—leaving unfinished only the 11½ mile link from Rosston east across Nevada county to the Ouachita boundary.

The State Highway Department running out of funds about 1931 further efforts to complete the road were defeated, while the state and federal governments concentrated on the task of finishing unpaved gaps in No. 61 and other trunk lines.

Trunk Lines Finished With the paving of the last links in the Broadway of America it is regarded as possible that state authorities will turn their attention to No. 4, one of the important secondary roads of Arkansas.

Completion of No. 4 would reduce the distance from Hope to Camden from 59 miles via Prescott to 48 miles, and would afford a new short route from Texarkana to Warren, Monticello and other southeast Arkansas points, including a ferry connection with Greenville, Miss.

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Bails Out



First army aviator pilot to save his life by "bailing out." Lt. Norman B. Burnett is shown here in a Fremont, Ohio, hospital, injured when his plane crashed near that city. One ankle was broken and he suffered exposure to the bitter cold for five hours while dragging himself to a farmhouse.

Hope Trade Day Is Planned for April

Old Fiddlers' Contest Included in Program of Young Business Men

An Old Fiddlers' contest for Hope and a Trade Day event were discussed by the Young Business Men's association for April, at their Monday night meeting at Hope city hall.

An essay contest was announced, \$5 in cash being offered on the best method of staging a trade day, the contest to close March 31.

The Rev. E. C. Rule, First Methodist pastor, spoke to the civic organization on "Americanism" in connection with a nation-wide program being conducted by the American Legion.

"To impress upon us," Rev. Rule said, "the importance of the institutions which have made this nation the world's leader. These institutions are: Better homes, better schools, better churches, better business and work, and better play."

The trade day essay is open to "all Hope business men, and their employees, all Hope citizens, all Hempstead county high school citizens, except the members of the essay contest committee." This committee is: Dr. Ford D. Henry, Dewey Hendrix, and Lyle M. Webb. The winner is to be selected on merit of ideas alone.

Essays are limited to 1,000 words. A committee of retail merchants will be asked to serve as judges.

When the date is set for Trade Day and the Old Fiddler's contest string bands throughout Southwest Arkansas will be invited to try for several large cash prizes to be named later by the club. R. R. Morris and Roy Stephenson were appointed to handle this contest.

A report of the committee which conducted a minstrel show for the association was read, and accepted. This committee was composed of Roy Stephenson, Andrew (Speedy) Hutson, and Noah Hobbs.

Dr. Don Smith is president of the association. Sid McMath is secretary.

John Dodson Dies Here at Age of 77

Former Local Merchant Had Lived in Hempstead for 50 Years

John Dodson, 77, died at his home on South Walnut street at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning. He had been in ill health several months.

Mr. Dodson was formerly a merchant here, retiring when his health failed. Prior to his entry into the mercantile business he had engaged in farming. He had lived in Hempstead county more than 50 years.

Surviving are eight sons, Jim, John, Will, Claude, Sid, Paul, all of Hope, and George of Paris, Texas, and Gray of Little Rock. One daughter, Mrs. A. K. Taylor of Patmos.

No funeral arrangements had been announced at noon.

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General Revision of NRA Codes Is Johnson's Pledge

Blue Eagle Chief Beats Critics to the Pointing Out of Errors

SLOW MODIFICATION

Each Industry Must Prove Its Right to Better Terms

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Recovery Administrator Hugh S. Johnson inaugurated the roundup for criticism of the NRA Tuesday with word that "a new forward movement" is underway for that agency.

Occasionally spectacular committee sessions Tuesday had rivals in five simultaneous forums of critical appraisal of NRA in preparation for code adjustments.

Johnson beat NRA's assembled critics to the gun by suddenly unfolding a 12-point program for revising existing codes. Before the complainants could voice a single criticism Johnson announced that a wide code revision would be effected, if possible, by a sweeping presidential mandate.

Individual industries will be allowed modifications only as justification can be shown in public hearings.

The code revision, he added, will be followed by a bigger and better Blue Eagle compliance campaign to make the emblem indispensable to all businesses.

Into the microphone he challenged his enemies, denied NRA had fallen short of its promises, and spoke confidently of the claim that the industrial program will march on.

District Champs Will Play Hope

Walkerville Team to Meet Locals Here Wednesday Night

What promises to be the outstanding basketball game of the season will be played in the high school gym Wednesday night when the Walkerville quintet, first place winners in the District 10 tournament, plays the Hope High School Bobcats, winners of second place in the district.

Walkerville defeated the locals in the second round of the tournament by a score of 26 to 19 by staging a desperate rally at the finish which proved sufficient to carry them to the margin of victory. Hope led the Columbia county quintet 12 to 11 at the half time in their recent game and maintained a slight lead until late in the fourth quarter, when Madison, all district forward was disqualified from the game because of four personal fouls. From then on Walkerville slowly forged ahead.

The game is to be an important one for both teams as both Hope and Walkerville plan to enter the state basketball tournament which is to be held in Harrison March 8, 9 and 10, and both teams are in the same bracket. The proceeds from this game will be used to send the Bobcats to the state meet, and it is for this reason that school authorities are hoping for a good turnout.

Local fans will also be afforded an opportunity to see several all-district players in action. In the Walkerville line up will be found Ruston at forward, and Camp at center, while Madison of Hope made the mythical team.

The Bobcats deserve some kind of recognition for their sterling play in the tournament, because after their defeat by Walkerville they were eliminated from the championship bracket and entered the consolation play. They were forced to play eight games Saturday to clinch their claim to second place, and of the four games played at Stamps in the final session of the tournament Hope played three of them.

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Listen My Children..



Paul Revere galloped to fame one historic night many years ago. His charming descendant, Pauline Revere (above), rode off with beauty honors the other day at New York University's School of Commerce. She was chosen, by faculty vote, the most beautiful girl in the school. She's going to be a newspaper reporter.

Arkansas School Aid Asked of U. S.

Howard Dawson in Brush With Critics at Washington Hearing

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Dr. Howard Dawson, Arkansas director of educational research, told the house education committee Tuesday that the average annual salary of Arkansas teachers is now \$440, and that without federal aid 400 schools would be unable to open next September.

Dawson said school revenues had decreased approximately one third and a large portion of the money taken in for school purposes is required for the refunding of outstanding debts.

He strongly urged federal assistance in the emergency not only for Arkansas but for the other states where children would be without school facilities this fall.

Asked by committee members if Arkansas did not have enough pride to keep her schools open without federal aid, he replied:

"It is not a matter of public spirit but of poverty.

"Elevator girls in Little Rock and Hot Springs, and chamberwomen at the capitol in Washington, get more than the average teacher in Arkansas."

He urged federal assistance for at least two years.

Alibi Offered for Sarah Ruth Dean

Aunt Testifies She Was Sewing Night Doctor Was Poisoned

GREENWOOD, Miss.—(P)—A witness told the jury Monday that Dr. Sarah Ruth Dean was planning to marry another man last summer when John Preston Kennedy, with whose murder she is charged, died of what the state contends was a poison whisky highball.

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Soldier Bonus Is Beaten in Senate

But Senate Adds 29,000 to World War Benefit Rolls

WASHINGTON.—(P)—The senate by a vote of 64 to 24 Tuesday rejected a proposal for immediate cash payment of 2 billion 400 million dollars for the soldiers' bonus.

Rolls Are Expanded WASHINGTON.—(P)—On top of the 60-million-a-year increase for Spanish war veterans approved Monday, the senate Tuesday added 29,000 World War veterans to the rolls at an annual cost of 55 million dollars.

Senate Votes Benefits WASHINGTON.—(P)—Sixty million dollars of economy act savings were voted back to veterans Monday by the senate at the same time President Roosevelt was sending a new warning to the house that he would veto the Patman bonus bill if it were passed.

A senate Republican-Democratic coalition put through an amendment by Senators Steiwer, Republican, Oregon, and McCarran, Democrat, Nevada, to restore to the rolls with 90 per cent of their former pensions, thousands of Spanish war veterans who were removed by economy act provisions that they prove service connection for their disabilities. The vote was 51 to 40.

President Roosevelt's renewed warning was put in unmistakable terms in a letter to Speaker Rainey, who declined to make the letter public but said he might do so Tuesday. Speaker Rainey recently said that Mr. Roosevelt would not "approve" the bonus bill and some house members had construed this to mean that he might permit it to become a law without his approval. The bill comes to a vote in the House March 12.

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Mercury Falls to 17 at 7 A. M., But Relief Is Coming

Lowest Temperature Since Feb. 8, 1933, When 1 Above Zero

85 DEAD IN NATION

Series of Catastrophes of 4 Days Climaxed by Train Wreck

The coldest temperature here this winter was recorded at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning when the thermometer at the Fruit and Truck Branch Experiment Station showed 17 degrees.

The coldest previous mark this season was 17½ degrees January 30—originally reported incorrectly at 16½.

It was cold all day Monday, the high being only 38 degrees, at 2 p. m. dropping to 35 at 6 p. m., and then ensuing steadily downward toward morning.

Tuesday's low of 17 was the coldest in more than a year, the lowest previous mark being 15½ degrees February 12, 1933.

The low mark for the year 1933, however, was on February 8, when the mercury touched one degree above zero.

Cloudy and warmer weather is forecast Wednesday.

By the Associated Press Four days of catastrophes aloft and aground have brought sudden death to at least 85 persons in the United States.

A train wreck, airplane crashes, bus smashups, a carbon monoxide gas explosion, and the fury of winter storms have swelled the grisly toll.

These major tragedies have shocked the country since last Friday, a survey showed Tuesday:

Eight dead in an air liner crash near Salt Lake City, Utah.

Seven dead in train wrecks near Pittsburgh, Pa., Monday night.

Twenty dead in Southern Express train wreck in blizzards in North and East.

Six dead in bus wreck at Aguila, Ariz., Saturday.

Nine Dartmouth students dead of gas asphyxiation Sunday.

Seven Die in

SOCIETY

MRS. SID HENRY TELEPHONE 321

Change of Heart
Weary of thrills we now return
At ease to watch the home fires burn;
To take the long neglected books
Out of their dark and dusty nooks
To find how pleasant time can be
In such a joyful company.
We quit the throng to learn anew
That worth-while friendships must be
few;
That three or four at once can find
These lasting joys of heart and mind
That very seldom are allowed
Unto the gay and noisy crowd.
Oh, we have learned that pomp and
pride
Can easily be swept aside
And every blast of chance that blows
Some gently, some with overblown
But simple faith and friendships true
Remain to last a lifetime through.
Now patiently we'll try to build
A home with happy memories filled;
A home of laughter and of song
With faith and love to keep it strong
And in its simple sweetness find
High pride, delight and peace of mind.
—E. A. G.

C. H. Lammert left Monday on a business trip to North Arkansas points and St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shiver had as week end guests, Mrs. Charles Shiver, Miss Allene Wilson and Jack Shiver all of Little Rock.

Circle No. 5 of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church held their regular monthly Mission Study on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. D. Brannon, with Mrs. S. L. Murphy and Mrs. D. B. Russell as associate hostesses. The business period was conducted by the circle leader, Mrs. Hugh Smith followed by the Mission study led by Mrs. Will Agee. During the social hour delightful refreshments were served to 25 members.

The Pat Cleburne chapter U. D. C. will hold their March meeting at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Duckett, with Mrs. E. S. Greening, Mrs. George Spraggins, Mrs. T. J. Boyett and Mrs. J. L. Jamison as associate hostesses. Roll call responses will be "The Heroism of a Southern Woman." The program will be featured by a memorial to the late Mrs. C. A. Forney-Smidt. There will also be a display of relics.

A most interesting meeting of Circle No. 2 of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist church was held on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Green on West Third street. The regular monthly mission study from the book, "The Word of Their Testimony" was led by Mrs. A. C. Kolb. Nine members responded to the roll call and delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

A special meeting of Hope chapter O. E. S. was held in this city on Saturday evening at the Masonic hall for the entertainment of the worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Louisa Cornwell of Pine Bluff. Mrs. Cornwell was accompanied by Mrs. Rachel Jordan, deputy grand lecturer of District No. 8. For the occasion the Masonic hall was beautifully decorated with the East being banked with calla lilies and ferns, while the other parts of the hall were attractive with spring flowers in the emblematic colors. The chapter was opened in due form, followed by a very inspiring flag service. Distinguished guests from Garfield, Prescott and Emmet were introduced. There being two candidates awaiting initiation work was simplified in a very impressive manner adding two new members to the mysteries of the Order. The meeting was featured by an address by the Worthy Grand Matron, who complimented the Hope chapter for their progress in the work. Interesting talks were made by several other visitors followed by a social hour at which time a most tempting desert course with coffee was served to sixty guests.

Mrs. A. J. Payne and son, Perry, of St. Louis are guests of Mrs. Payne's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swain, of Overton, Texas, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Betts, here. Mrs. Swain is the former Miss Mary Jones. They will return to their home Wednesday.

SOLDIER BONUS
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year for government workers as against \$126,000,000 favored by Democratic leaders, and today's balloting favored the \$60,000,000 proposal as against a \$50,000,000 plan brought in by the administration group.

Senator Byrnes, Democrat, South Carolina, for the administration had proposed restoring the men with 75 per cent of their former pension.

Pending at adjournment was another amendment by Steiwer which he estimated would cost another \$35,000,000. This would restore to full compensation all World War veterans disabilities were presumed to have been service-connected but who were removed by the economy act. It also would require the government to prove their injuries were not due to actual service.

The Roll Call
The roll call on the Steiwer-McCarran amendment showed Senator Caraway of Arkansas voting yes and Senator Robinson no.

COMMON OLD ITCH
Is Still With Us
Prescription No. 200,000 will cure it. It kills the parasites in the skin.

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JOHN S. GIBSON
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"The REXALL Store"
Hope, Ark. Established 1885

Family Washing
Wet Wash
3c Per Pound
NELSON HUCKINS

SAENGER
Arkansas' largest and finest
NOW

The sparkling comedy-drama of tangled affairs—in which a butler and a maid and a gentleman and a lady each think they are making love to someone else!

By **CANDLELIGHT**
with **ELISSA LANDI**
PAUL LUKAS
Nils Asther

ALIBI OFFERED

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ake a fifth defendant testified that Dr. Dean was planning to marry Capt. Franklin C. Moul, and that Dr. Dean was sewing on her tressou and did not leave the house on the night she is alleged to have killed Dr. Kennedy a poisoned highball in a farewell toast.

Mrs. Boyls, who cared for Dr. Dean "since she was a baby," said the defendant had planned to leave Greenwood August 5, the day before Dr. Kennedy died.

In reply to questions, Mrs. Boyls said that she believed that Captain Moul lives in Lewes, Del., and that he was in Greenwood on the Wednesday after testimony in Dr. Dean's trial started, and remained until the following Friday morning.

She said that Dr. Dean did not leave her house on the night of July 27 when the prosecution contends that Dr. Kennedy drank the poisoned highball that caused his death. She said that Dr. Dean came home early that night, that she and Dr. Dean slept together and that it would have been impossible for Dr. Dean to have left the house without her having known it.

Little progress marked Monday's sessions of the trial which entered on its fifth week. During most of the day lawyers argued over hypothetical questions. One of the witnesses was Dr. Louis Leroy, Memphis physician and motorboat enthusiast, who once set a record for a voyage from New Orleans to St. Louis.

NEGRO FIGHT

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Results of other cases:
When R. T. Porter, negro, appeared in court Monday against Thomas Douglas, another negro, Porter told of a card game and a shooting scrape. In filing complaint against Douglas the negro Porter asked that the charge read "assault with intent to kill."

When Porter was asked why the particular charge, he replied: "Well, I don't think that nigger was playin' wid dat gun."

Douglas was fined \$10 and costs. Two charges against Woody Lindsey for reckless driving and operating a car while intoxicated were continued until March 6.

Curtis Knox pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and was fined \$5 and costs.

Doe Blasingame was fined \$1 and costs on charges of assault and battery for beating up Randolph Haddix. Roy Tatum, drunkenness, fined \$10 and costs.

Hazel Young, disturbing the peace; forfeited cash bond of \$10 and failed to appear for trial.

Willie Blankenship, drunkenness, fined \$10 and costs.

Rubie Juris, operating car while intoxicated, fined \$25 and costs.

Klishus Muldrow, carrying pistol, dismissed by city attorney.

Ben Mitchell, possessing liquor for sale, continued until March 6.

PWA Denounced as Failure in State

Little of Arkansas' 5 1/2 Million Allotment Actually Released

LITTLE ROCK—In the presence of several somewhat startled PWA officials from Washington, the state Advisory Board sang its swan song Monday night, called the Public Works program in Arkansas a "dismal failure," and declared "the charges of inefficiency must be laid at the door of officials in Washington."

Other speakers bluntly demanded of the visitors an explanation of "why the PWA has failed to function in Arkansas," and expressed the wish that the state Advisory Board be retained as our representation in this great project.

The unexpected attack occurred at a banquet at the Hotel Marion given by the Little Rock Chamber of Commerce in honor of Col. Henry M. Waite, deputy administrator of the PWA, several members of his Washington staff, and Public Works officials from the five states in this region.

Has No Apology
In reply to the outspoken criticism of the administration of Public Works in Arkansas, Colonel Waite said: "I'll be damned if I offer an apology for the PWA."

And he didn't. He didn't even explain why the program is lagging in Arkansas, except to say: "The situation in Arkansas is a little different from other states due to Arkansas laws and the restrictions of some of the cities regarding bond purchase contracts."

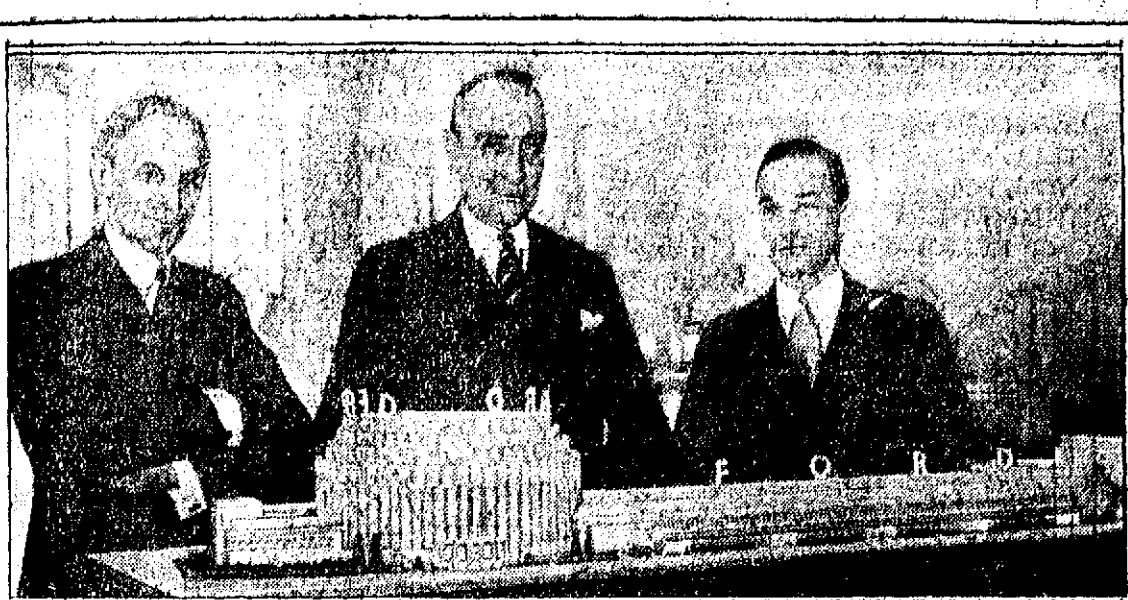
He didn't specify the laws to which he referred, but after the banquet questioners were referred to Edward H. Foley Jr., assistant general counsel of Public Works, who mentioned two legal difficulties in the way of PWA bond purchases contracts in Arkansas which he said can be corrected only by additional legislation, and added: "The trouble with Arkansas is not only legal; it's financial as well. The collateral offered for Public Works bonds simply aren't worth the risk in the majority of applications that have

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FORD TO BUILD HUGE EXPOSITION AT THE 1934 CHICAGO WORLD'S FAIR



A GREAT Ford Exposition, portraying the tremendous part the arts, sciences and virtually every other industry plays in the manufacture of today's motor cars, is planned by the Ford Motor Company for the 1934 World's Fair.

The Ford Exposition will be housed in a giant building 800 feet long to be built in the heart of the fair grounds on an 11-acre plot bordering Lake Michigan and flanking the main fair boulevard. Construction of the building will start March 1.

In the dominant central building will be housed Henry Ford's "Drama of Transportation," depicting the development of wheeled vehicles from the chariots of ancient Egyptian kings to modern motor cars. Every model of Ford car made since 1902 will be included.

In the smaller building to the left will be housed some of the priceless historic exhibits from the Edison Institute at Dearborn, Mich., including the one-story brick workshop, complete with the original tools, where Mr. Ford in 1893 built with his own hands his first motor car. This first car will be displayed inside the shop.

The main exposition building will display an imposing array of exhibits, most of them in action, show how steel, aluminum and other metals, soy beans, corn, wool, cotton and other farm products and the products of myriad industries are converted into car parts. The building also will house displays of cars and a big movie theater. Along the east side will be an open-air balcony equipped with chairs and lounges where hundreds may relax.

Across the drive fronting the lake will be a big Ford Park, beautifully landscaped and also fitted with seats and other comforts for fair crowds.

Henry Ford and Edsel B. Ford show to Rufus C. Dawes (center), president of the World's Fair, the scale model of the giant Ford Exposition building to be built at the 1934 Fair. (Lower) The Ford building as it will be seen from Lake Michigan.

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When they are going to begin thinking of their own responsibilities and stop expecting the federal government to finance all their work?

"If anybody thinks the PWA is going to pick up all the slack in employment left by the CWA when it gets through, he is mistaken. Is Arkansas expecting the government to

take all of this responsibility? How far do the states want to go in this paternalism?"

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CONSOLIDATION

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some of the senatorial districts represent illogical groupings of counties. "Take the Twenty-sixth district," he said. "This, the only one having four counties, contains Cleburne, Conway, Sevier and Van Buren counties. Certainly Clifton would be the logical geographic location for a county seat, but it is easily seen that such a layout would not be considered."

"It would be comparatively easy, however, to accept as counties such districts as the following: Lee and Phillips; Ashley and Chicot; Calhoun and Ouachita; Logan and Yell; Woodruff and Cross; White and Faulkner; Fayetteville would be an ideal location for county government for Benton and Washington counties, he said.

"If you will study a map, you will see the logic of this," he said. "Such cities as Fort Smith, Hot Springs and Jonesboro would naturally come in for first consideration over towns more logically located from a geographic standpoint."

Suggests Proper Strategy
Inclusion of an attempt at settlement of the county seat problem in a constitutional proposal would not be satisfactory, Mr. Newton said. He said the proper strategy would be to "hold out the hope to any existing county seat that it might ultimately be named as the site of government for the consolidated county."

The first thing to do, he said, is to get the constitutional amendment authorizing consolidation. This would embrace the bare matter of counties to be merged and the consequent territorial boundaries. The county seat question would be left to a later legislature.

HERE AND THERE

(Continued from Page One)

can carry his outrageous plea to Washington that unless the federal government does something we won't have any school next fall.

All because we had a drouth four years ago Doctor Dawson can make this untrue and humiliating statement and escape being thrown out of the national capital.

It's too bad somebody didn't throw him out.

This country isn't going to recover its self-respect until Washington starts throwing people out whose real business belongs back home.

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You hear a lot today about balanced diet—
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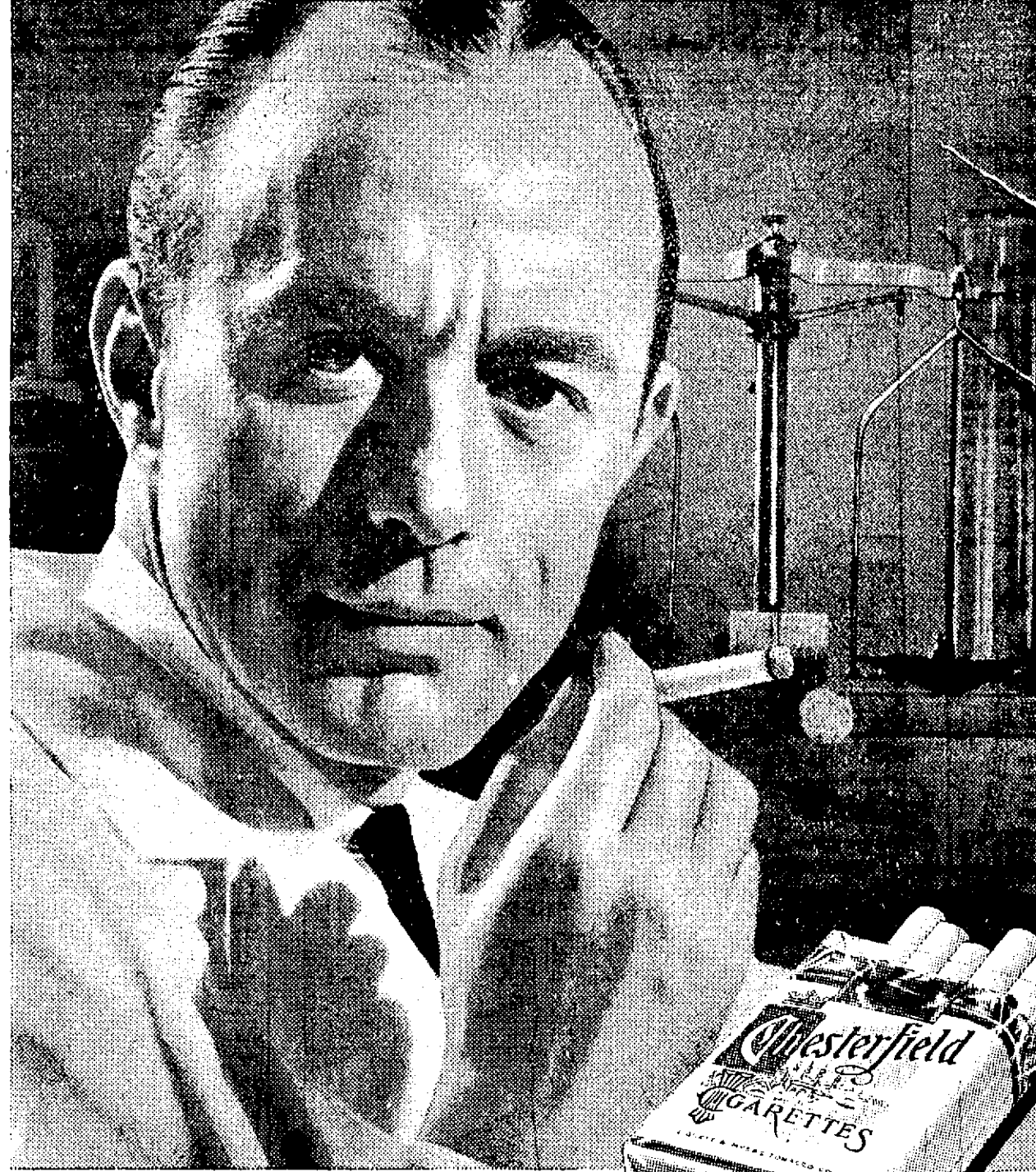
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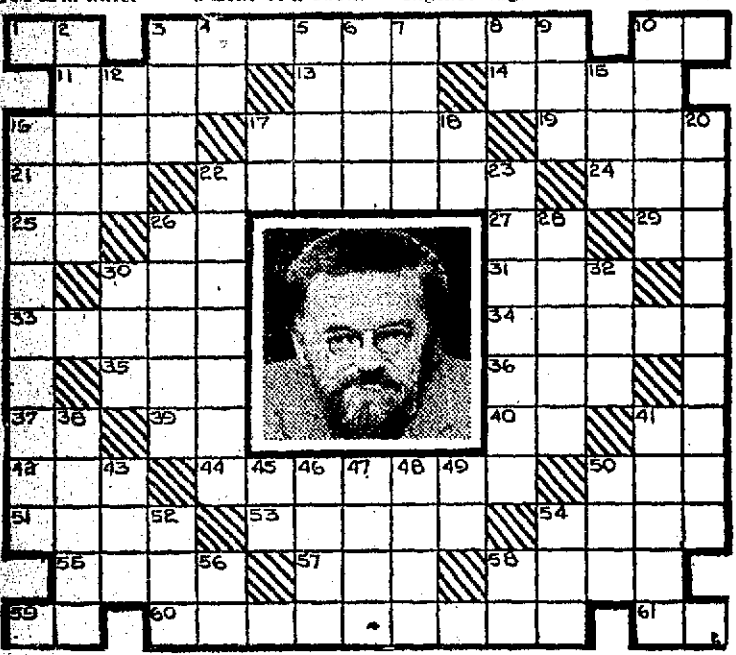
1 Provided.
2 An authority on electricity.
3 Charles F. —
4 Father.
5 Hodgepodge.
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7 A jot.
8 Chart.
9 Stench.
10 Kind of whale.
11 To tree.
12 Kodaks.
13 Sweet potato.
14 Hawaiian bird.
15 Genuine.
16 North America.
17 Southeast.
18 Gaseous.
19 God of war.
20 Amphetamine.
21 Demon spirits.
22 One in cards.
23 Gun.
24 Therefore.
25 Half an em.
26 Corpse.
27 Minor note.
28 Ancient.
29 Farm auto.

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

17 Fourth note.
18 Sun god.
20 Although born in Germany, he worked among —
22 And was an authority on electric —
23 Snicker.
24 Your sister's daughter.
25 Regions.
26 Exclamation.
27 Social insect.
28 Liquid part of fat.
29 To diminish.
30 Father.
31 Ream (abbr.).
32 Pertaining to air.
33 Seventh note.
34 Animal garden.
35 Pig-like rodents.
36 Boy.
37 To attempt.
38 He was a —
39 Form of "a."
40 Pair (abbr.).

VERTICAL

1 To perch.
2 Toward.
3 Newspaper paragraph.
4 Short letter.
5 Health.
6 Seventh note.
7 Animal garden.
8 Pig-like rodents.
9 Boy.
10 To attempt.
11 He was a —
12 Form of "a."
13 Pair (abbr.).



Rosston Rt. 2

We are sorry to report several new cases of measles on Route 2.

Quite a few from this place attended the Nevada County Basketball tournament at Willitsville Friday and Saturday February 23 and 24.

Our school at Bodewas was fairly represented at the tournament, the Junior boys winning the cup for junior teams of Nevada county.

Some plowing in of oats and preparations for the 1934 crop had been made previous to the bad weather the past week.

Our rural carrier Mr. Honea still makes his trip on schedule time regardless of rain and bad roads.

R. E. Dillard and children, Nell and Milton, were visiting relatives here Sunday afternoon.

T. H. Butler of Rocky Mound was a business visitor here Friday and was dinner guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Butler.

Clifton Butler and family visited P. E. Butler and folks Saturday and Sunday.

Market Place

Remember, the more you tell, the quicker you sell.

1 time, 10c line, min. 30c
For consecutive insertions, minimum of 3 lines in one ad.
3 times, 6c line, min. 50c
6 times, 5c line, min. 90c
26 times, 3 1/2c line, min. \$2.75 (Average 5 1/2 words to the line)

NOTE—Want ads may be charged with the understanding that the bill is payable on presentation of statement, before the first publication.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Just Received all the newest sheet music. Hope Music Company. 12-28c

Best Paint Sold. Hope Bldg. Mat. Co.

NOTICE

Have your Frigidaire overhauled before summer! Factory authorized Frigidaire service. For prices phone 390, Bacon Electric Co. 2-28c

Gloss-fast enamels. Hope Bldg. Mat. Co.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, down stairs, south exposure, private bath and entrance. Garage. See Mrs. Gelster. 222 N. Hervey St. 26-27p

FOR SALE

Bird Shingles. Hope Bldg. Mat. Co.

BABY CHICKS—All breeds from Hempstead's finest flocks. Get chicks now for early layers. We give free 3 Australorp chicks free with every 100 bought. Open seven days a week. Oakcrest Hatchery, 111 N. Walnut St.

NOTICE!

Will be at the City Hall for two weeks only—Starting

Monday March 5th.

for the purpose of collecting taxes

Owing to the change of system for collecting taxes, we will be unable to give detailed statements.

Please be sure to bring your receipt for last year's taxes.

John L. Wilson

Sheriff and Collector

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By AHERN

HAW—NOW, YOU TWO WRETCHES—I HAVE RECOVERED FROM MY RECENT CASE OF LARYNGITIS, SO NOW I CAN TELL YOU WHAT I THINK OF YOU, FOR NOT INFORMING ME THAT MR GRUNCH WAS HARD OF HEARING—AND LETTING ME TALK MYSELF HOARSE!

WAIT TILL WE FINISH THIS GAME, KID—I WANT TO GET IT HOT AN' FRESH OFF TH' GRIDDLE! HAVE A CHAIR, AN' PRACTICE UP ON YOUR THUMB TWIDDLING!

YEH—SIT DOWN AN' TAKE A COUPLE OF LOADS OFF YOUR ARCHES—AN' DON'T WORK UP TOO MUCH STEAM—YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE READY TO BLOW TH' RIVETS, NOW!

HARRRRUMF—NOW—HEED WELL MY DENUNCIATION OF YOU KNAVES

HE HAS BOTH BARRELS LOADED

OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS

SPEARIN' FROGS? C'MON—CA—MON! GIT OUTA THERE, BEFORE SOME GUY, AS NUTTY AS YOU, COMES ALONG AN' SPEARS YOU FER A FROG!

AN EASY MISTAKE.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By MARTIN

SA—AAY, WAIT UP! HAVEN'T I TOLD YA T'SOP WEARIN' MY NEW SUIT, HUH? HAVEN'T I?

AH, LAY OFF, FELLA—JUST THIS ONCE, WILL YA? I'M IN AN AWFUL HURRY

YEAH?

An Accident Is Right!

NO FOOLIN'! I GOTTA DATE WITH BOOTS AN' I'M AN HOUR LATE ALREADY! I'LL HAVE T'TELL 'ER I'VE BEEN IN SOME KIND OF AN ACCIDENT, MEBBE! I DON'T SPOSE SHE'LL BELIEVE IT THOUGH

OH, SURE SHE WILL

ALLEY OOP

Full Speed Ahead!

C'MON, ARMY! QUIT LAGGIN' BACK! THERE AINT NAWTHIN' GONNA HURTCHA!

HEY! WHERE YA GOIN'? WHUT'S TH' BIG RUSH? LOOK BACK THERE!

They're Off!

HOW THE BLAZES DO WE KNOW? IT'S 400 MILES AWAY—WE DREW THE NUMBER OUT OF A HAT, AND, BY THE WAY, MARY, WE'RE TO ARRIVE WITH ONLY A DIME—HERE'S SOME SPARE CASH FOR YOU.

BEGGING YOUR PARDON, SIR, BUT I THINK YOU'RE BOTH CRAZY.

QUITE O.K., OLD POTATO. WE OFTEN THINK THE SAME THING.

WASH TUBBS

IT'S UP TO YOU, MCQUIGGLE, OLD BOY, TO SETTLE OUR AFFAIRS. WE'RE LEAVING.

YES, SIR, WHERE TO, SIR?

EAST. THE MYSTERIOUS AND GLAMOROUS EAST, IN SEARCH OF ADVENTURE, ROMANCE, AND THE FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH.

Nutty Knows Him!

HA-HA...WHERE WOULD HE EVER GET THE MONEY? HE'S AS OPTIMISTIC AS THE MAN WHO WENT LOOKING FOR A NIGHT'S LODGING, WITH A TROMBONE UNDER ONE ARM AND A PICCOLO UNDER THE OTHER!

HE SEEMED KINDA NICE...DO YOU SUPPOSE HE'S BURIED THE HATCHET, NUTTY?

WELL, IF HE HAS BURIED IT, I BET HE OILED IT, FIRST, TO KEEP IT FROM RUSTING...AND KEEPS A SPADE HANDY, JUST IN CASE!!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

LOOK, NUTTY! OLD MAN SCUTTLE CAN'T KEEP HIS EYES OFF YOUR PLACE! HE SURE IS ANXIOUS TO GET IT!!

I KNOW IT...HE HANGS AROUND LIKE A VULTURE WAITING FOR A RABBIT TO DIE!!

CASH! CASH! COME ON, LET'S GO!

WELL, EMMIE, THIS DEAL PUT US ON THE MAP, IN 'NOMPKINS' CORNERS! YES, SIR! WE'RE—

FOR EVER MORE! LOOK AT THE MOB COMIN' UP 'THE FRONT WALK!!

The Reception Committee!

WHAT DID I TELL YA? IT'S, NO DOUBT, THE RECEPTION COMMITTEE, 'ER SUMPIN', T' GIVE ME THE KEY T' THE CITY

I WANT MY DOUGH!!

YOU'VE OWED ME THIS FER TEN YEARS!!

COME ACROSS!!

THE NEWFANGLES (Mom n Pop)

YES, I'M TELLIN' YE WIMDY CLEANED UP! 'THE COUNTY BOUGHT THEM! BOG FROM HIM, DIDN'T THEY?

YES, SIR! AND THEY PAID MORE THAN \$10,000 CASH!!

IT'S A WHEEL WITHIN A WHEEL—DR YA GIT IT?

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By COWAN

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